GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Andhra Pradesh Private Colleges of Nursing (Grant of Permission to Private Colleges or Institutions and Admissions into B.Sc. Nursing Course) Rules, 1997 – Issue of Essentiality Certificate to Peace Educational Foundation Society, Rajahmundry for establishment of B.Sc. College of Nursing under the name Rajiv Gandhi College of Nursing, Lutergiri Campus, Opp.: A.P.P. Mills, Rajahmundry-533105, East Godavari District in private sector and starting the degree course in B.Sc. Nursing of four years duration with an intake capacity of 40 (forty) students – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (K1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 22

<u>Dated:04-02-2014</u> Read the following:

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.145, HM&FW(M2) Dept., dt.18-05-1998.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.76, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.28-3-2003
- 3. G.O.Ms.No.108, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.7-4-2005
- 4. G.O.Ms.No.217, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.1-6-2006
- 5. G.O.Ms.No.236, HM&FW (K2) Dept., dt.13-7-2007
- 6. From the Chairman, High Power Committee, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No. 020/HPC/2007, dt. 29/12/2012.

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<u>O R D E R:-</u>

In the G.O. 3rd read above, Government have entrusted the process of cases relating to establishment of Nursing Schools /Colleges to the High Power Committee.

- 2. In the G.O. 5th read above, orders were issued for establishment of new B.Sc. Nursing Colleges in the Private Sector.
- 3. In the letter 6th read above, the Chairman, High Power Committee has stated that the proposal for establishment of B.Sc (N) College under the name Rajiv Gandhi College of Nursing, Lutergiri Campus, Opp.: A.P.P. Mills, Rajahmundry-533105, East Godavari District was received and the same was forwarded to the District Level Team for verification. The Principal, Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada (Member, Convener, District Level Team, East Godavari District) has submitted inspection report in respect of Rajiv Gandhi College of Nursing, Lutergiri Campus, Opp.: A.P.P. Mills, Rajahmundry-533105, East Godavari District stating that "existing facilities are sufficient to permit 40 candidates of B.Sc (Nursing) students".
- 4. He has therefore, requested the Govt. to issue No Objection Certificate / Essentiality Certificate in respect of the above said College of Nursing with an intake capacity of 40 seats per year, since the maximum number of seats permitted in the course is only 50 in the year and since they have fulfilled the requirements of eligibility stipulated in the statutes of Dr.NTR University of Health Sciences, INC guidelines and Govt. orders issued from time to time.
- 5. After careful examination of the matter and also taking into consideration the sworn affidavit submitted by the Management of Peace Educational Foundation Society, Rajahmundry with regard to the provision of facilities for establishment of College of Nursing and in exercise of the powers conferred under sub rule (ii) of rule 15 of Andhra Pradesh Private Colleges of Nursing (Grant of Permission to Private Colleges or Institutions and Admissions into B.Sc. Nursing Course) Rules, 1997 made under section 99 of Andhra Pradesh

Education Act, 1982 (Act 1 of 1982), Government hereby issue Essentiality Certificate to Rajiv Gandhi College of Nursing, Lutergiri Campus, Opp.: A.P.P. Mills, Rajahmundry-533105, East Godavari District to start degree course in B.Sc. Nursing of four years duration under Peace Educational Foundation Society, Rajahmundry with an intake capacity of 40 (forty) students and clinical attachment at 1) GGH, Rajahmundry, 2) Surya Hospital, Rajahmundry and 3) Harsha Hospital, Rajahmundry, subject to obtaining affiliation to Dr.N.T.R University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada and approval of Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi and orders issued by the State Government from time to time: -

- 6. The Essentiality Certificate granted in para (5) above is subject to the following conditions:-
 - (i) That the Institute should obtain affiliation duly fulfilling all the conditions stipulated as per the statutes of the N.T.R. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh and payment of annual affiliation fee as may be prescribed from time to time to N.T.R. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada and clearance from the Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi. In case the aforesaid Educational Society fails to fulfill the conditions or fails to start the B.Sc. Nursing course within a period of one year, the permission now accorded will be cancelled.
 - (ii) The annual intake of students should not exceed as specified above to the Institute and the institute should fulfill and abide by the rules and regulations notified by Government in G.O. Ms. No. 145, HM & FW (M2) Department, dated 18-05-1998, G.O. Ms. No. 76, HM & FW (K2) Department, dt.28-03-2003 and amendments issued thereon from time to time.
- 7. The aforesaid Educational Society should also follow the following instructions scrupulously:
 - (i) The Institute should run regularly with the required infrastructure facilities, equipments, teaching staff, office rooms and clinical facilities, hostel facility, library books as per the statutes and regulations of Dr. N.T.R. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada and as per the regulations of the Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi and should run in the best interests of students and it will be inspected by an inspecting officer appointed by Government or Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences or Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi.
 - (ii) The students hostel, wherever provided is adequately furnished with appropriate areas for their comfortable stay and provision is made for their indoor and outdoor games.
 - (iii) The procedure prescribed by Government or Dr. N.T.R. University of Health Sciences, for the selection, collection of fees, admission of students, rule of reservation, local, non-local areas and conducting examinations should be scrupulously followed.
 - (iv) The Institute should not have or open branches on the same place or elsewhere in the State or out side the State.
 - (v) The Institute should obtain the permission of the Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi to start the Nursing College. In case, the applicant fails to create infrastructure for the Nursing College as per INC norms, the fresh admissions will be stopped by the State Government.

8. The Essentiality Certificate granted in para (5) above is liable for cancellation whenever the Government or Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada or Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi forms the opinion based on an inspection report that the afore mentioned Educational Society is not running the college in the best interest of the students or commits any irregularity or violates any rule/regulation after giving 15 days notice to the Educational Society to show cause, against the proposed cancellation and pass appropriate orders after considering the explanation, if any, offered by the Society against the show cause notice.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

L.V. SUBRAHMANYAM PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Secretary & Correspondent, Peace Educational Foundation Society, Rajahmundry.

The Registrar, Dr.N.T.R. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

The Chairman, High Power Committee, D.M.E. Office Complex, Koti, Hyderabad.

The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Koti, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, APNMC, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, Indian Nursing Council, Combined Councils building, Kotla Road, Temple Lane, New Delhi-110 002.

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